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## COLESBERG VICTORY

Has Made General French  
the Hero of the Hour  
In London.

## WELCOME RAY OF LIGHT

Through the Gloom Into Which the  
British Had Been Plunged—Be-  
lieved That Buller Is About to  
Fight a Momentous Battle—Ugly  
Rumors of a Dutch Rising.

London, Jan. 2.—The success of Gen-  
eral French in driving the Boers from  
Colesberg has shot a welcome ray of  
light through the gloom of the cam-  
paign in South Africa. Everywhere it  
is commented upon as an example of  
sound tactics, and as an illustration of  
what may be done when the right  
methods are employed with the Boers.  
The government is urged to take the  
lesson to heart, and to see that no stone  
is left unturned in the endeavor to get  
the largest possible forces of cavalry  
and mounted infantry to the front.

Now, that General French has the  
Boers on the run, the hope is expressed  
that he will give them no rest, but will  
harness them until they have found  
their way across the Orange river,  
which is 12 miles distant. The old  
wagon route to the Free State traverses  
Colesberg and crosses the river by a fine  
bridge 1,300 feet long. It is believed



GENERAL FRENCH.

The Boers retreated toward Norval's  
font, further east, and the question is  
whether General French will be able to  
secure these two bridges before the  
Boers destroy them.

One important effect of the success of  
General French is that it will probably  
have a deterrent influence upon Dutch  
disaffection.

At Modder river the Boers appear to  
be modifying somewhat their line of  
defense. General Buller's scouts have  
discovered a Boer camp established in  
the vicinity of Springfield, southwest  
of Colenso, by a Free State commando.  
A similar movement has been made at  
Modder river. A large force of Boers,  
it is reported, has formed a new laager  
about 15 miles down the stream at  
Kameelhook.

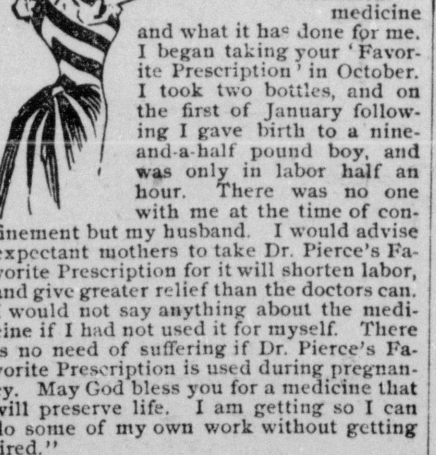
Heliograph reports from Ladysmith  
show that all was well on Dec. 31. The  
bombardment was being continued, but  
its intensity had relaxed.

An official dispatch from Ladysmith  
confirms the report cabled yesterday,  
that several officers of the Devonshire  
regiment were severely wounded by the  
explosion of a Boer shell in the mess  
tent.

A new armored train has reached  
General Buller from Durban.  
A Cape Town dispatch says that the

## A BABY BOY.

Every expectant mother in the world  
will sympathize with the somewhat re-  
markable experience of Mrs. Rev. Walker,  
of Fillmore, Montgomery  
Co., Ill. "I take pleasure  
in dropping you a word of  
praise," she writes in an  
interesting letter to Dr.  
R. V. Pierce, of  
Bellefonte, N. Y., in re-  
gard to your  
wonderful



and what I have done for me.  
I began taking your 'Favor-  
ite Prescription' in October.  
I took two bottles, and on  
the first of January follow-  
ing I gave birth to a nine-  
and-a-half pound boy, and  
was only in labor half an  
hour. There was no one  
with me at the time of con-  
fession but my husband. I would advise  
expectant mothers to take Dr. Pierce's  
Favorite Prescription for it will shorten labor,  
and give greater relief than the doctors can.  
I would not say anything about the medi-  
cine if I had not used it for myself. There  
is no need of suffering if Dr. Pierce's  
Favorite Prescription is used during pregnancy.  
May God bless you for a medicine that  
will preserve life. I am getting so I can  
do some of my own work without getting  
tired."

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sympathy and helpfulness that can only be  
extended to them by a physician whose  
wide experience renders him deeply appre-  
ciative of their sufferings and thoroughly  
familiar with the means of prompt allevia-  
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care of her own and her children's health  
by the instructions given in Dr. Pierce's  
great thousand-page, illustrated Common  
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ume formerly sold for \$1.50, but a substan-  
tial paper-bound copy will be sent free on  
receipt of one-cent stamps to pay the  
cost of mailing, or cloth-bound, 31 stamps.

exchange of prisoners is under consid-  
eration.

## UGLY RUMORS

Of a Dutch Rising to Seize Cape  
Town and Sir Alfred Milner.  
Cape Town, Jan. 2.—Ugly rumors  
are in circulation of a Dutch rising  
with the object of seizing Cape Town  
and the docks and capturing the gov-  
ernor of Cape Colony, Sir Alfred Milner.  
The center of the movement is  
said to be Paarl, a village about 30  
miles from Cape Town, where a meeting  
of the Afrikaander bond has just  
been held.

A similar meeting was held at Rich-  
mond on Dec. 28; and it is reported  
that the members of the bond in these  
two towns are acting in concert.

The members of the bond at Willing-  
ton and the Dutch in Clan William  
district are said to be armed with  
mausers and to be anxious to use them  
in behalf of the Boers.

Although the stories of a rising are  
discredited, the police and military are  
taking ample precautions.

## BULLER'S

Coming Battle Will Be the Most  
Momentous of the Campaign.  
London, Jan. 2.—The Standard's cor-  
respondent at Frere camp, telegraphing  
on Jan. 1, says:

"Sir Charles Warren's division is now  
nearly complete. It's headquarters will  
be at Esocourt. It is rumored here that  
the guns which were captured from  
General Buller at Colenso have been  
mounted in the hills commanding the  
drift over the Tugela river at Spring-  
field. The Boers, it appears, captured  
620 rounds of shrapnel when they took  
the guns.

"General Buller's difficulties have  
been immeasurably increased by the  
enforced delay since the last engage-  
ment. He now has before him a series  
of walled and fortified hills, running 16  
miles along the line of the Tugela.  
These are swarming with the enemy,  
posted in positions of great strength  
and bristling with guns; while the river  
in front is in full flood. The coming  
battle will certainly be the stiffest, and  
probably the most momentous, of the  
entire campaign."

## CABUYAO

AMERICANS CAPTURE THE TOWN  
AFTER A SHORT FIGHT.

Twenty-Four of the Enemy's Dead  
Found in One House—One Hundred  
and Fifty Prisoners and Four Rapid  
Fire Guns Captured.

Manila, Jan. 2.—The first movement  
of a general southern advance occurred  
yesterday when two battalions of the  
Thirty-ninth infantry landed and occu-  
pied Cabuyao, on the south side of La-  
guna de Bay. Two Americans were  
killed and four wounded. Twenty-four  
of the enemy's dead were found in one  
house. One hundred and fifty prison-  
ers and four 6-pounder rapid fire guns  
were captured.

The gunboat Laguna de Bay bom-  
barded the town before the disembark-  
ment of the troops from Cascoes, which  
was made under the enemy's shrapnel  
fire. The enemy evacuated the place  
before the charging Americans, re-  
treating to Santa Rosa, to which town  
they were pursued.

Heavy fighting occurred along the  
rail to Santa Rosa which was occupied  
by the insurgents retreating south to-  
ward Silang. The Americans burned  
the country between and around Cabu-  
yao.

The gunboat returned to Calamba for  
reinforcements, and thence came to  
Manila to fetch ammunition. She re-  
cently captured two of the enemy's  
steam launches, one under the fire of  
artillery at Calamba and also four cas-  
coes loaded with rice.

Other regiments were mobilized last  
night at San Pedro, Macati and Pasig,  
preparatory to continuing the southern  
advance.

The capture of bombs Sunday in-  
volved the seizure of documents incu-  
pating 1,000 Filipinos who intended to  
rise against the Americans. Papers were  
also found showing a distribution of  
the city into districts and a careful  
assignment of leaders and followers.  
The precautions taken by the Ameri-  
cans on Saturday, it is now evident  
alone prevented an uprising. The pro-  
vost marshal has requested that two  
more regiments be detailed for the pro-  
tection of Manila. Three thousand  
troops are now actually in the city.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES

Mississippi legislature meets today.  
Explosion of severe gas at Knoxville,  
Pa., wrecked a large number of houses,  
and injured two women.

The Ward Line steamer Saratoga,  
which went aground at Santiago 10 days  
ago, has been floated.

Sixth annual poultry and pet stock show  
has opened at St. Louis. Twelve hun-  
dred chickens and 1,400 pigeons are on ex-  
hibition.

No indictment was found against Sena-  
tor Gallinger by the Concord (N. H.)  
grand jury. The senator was charged  
with violating the civil service law.

The American colony in Mexico City  
charity held their Thanksgiving day  
celebrity last, postponed on account of  
vice President Hobart's death. The pro-  
ceedings go to the American hospital.

The Ellen Baptist church, dedicated  
only a year ago at Stormsberg, Neb., was  
totally destroyed by fire and two people  
seriously injured. The fire was caused  
by the explosion of acetylene gas.

Mexico has adopted a new method of  
nominating a candidate for president.  
Yesterday the public voted on the ques-  
tion instead of allowing a convention to  
name the candidate. The result is not  
known.

## SHORT AND DECISIVE

Kid McCoy Again Places  
Himself in the Champion-  
ship Class of Fighters.

## KNOCKS PETER MAHER OUT

In Five Well Fought Rounds Before  
the Coney Island Athletic Club.  
Battle Was to Have Lasted Twenty-  
Five Rounds—Cleanest Knockout  
Ever Seen in a Prize Ring Fight.

New York, Jan. 2.—"Kid" McCoy  
again placed himself in the champion-  
ship class by defeating Peter Maher in  
a brisk, well-fought battle of five rounds  
before the Coney Island Athletic club  
yesterday afternoon. The fight was  
scheduled to last 25 rounds, and the  
purse was to have been \$20,000, but the  
attendance was not as large as had been  
expected, and before the fight was be-  
gun the principals agreed that the win-  
ner should receive the gross gate re-  
ceipts.

The battle was hard fought from  
start to finish, but McCoy was far the  
cleverer man in ring tactics, dodging,  
side stepping and hitting powers. He  
showed himself to be a good ring gen-  
eral, ever watching for an opening and  
never failing to take advantage of one.  
Maher, although credited with being a  
heavy hitter, did not get in many effec-  
tive blows. His footwork was poor and  
at times he did not appear to have per-  
fect control of himself.

When the men entered the ring and  
stripped for the battle both looked to be  
in perfect condition, and they were  
greeted with tumultuous applause.  
Under Marquis of Queensbury rules,  
new gloves, provided by the club, were  
handed to the referee and he in turn  
gave them to the boxers' seconds. Maher  
donned his quickly but McCoy claimed  
that the gloves did not fit him and  
stubbornly refused to use them. He  
insisted on wearing an old pair which  
he claimed suited him, but the referee  
was obdurate, and McCoy gave in.

In the fifth round Peter wavered,  
after having sent in some hot ones to  
McCoy, and the Kid sent in a right  
which fell a bit short, and then, drop-  
ping his left to the body, tried a right  
swing, and as Peter side stepped, the  
Kid met him with a full swinging left,  
which landed on the point of the jaw  
and the Irishman went down, resting  
on his right elbow, and was counted  
out in this position. It was a terrific  
blow and, landing right on the mark,  
an ox could scarcely withstand its force.  
It was the cleanest knockout ever seen  
in a ring fight and, while some people  
were unkind enough to say that Maher  
could have gotten up again, those who  
were nearest to the fighters and saw  
the force of the blow were of the opin-  
ion that Sullivan, in his palmist days,  
could not have withstood it.

Probably in the history of ring fights  
in this vicinity, there has never been  
such a quick change in the betting as  
that which occurred during the two  
hours preceding the fight. For some  
days past Maher had been the favorite,  
as good as 100 to 60 being bet on his  
chances. One hundred to 70 on Maher  
was the ruling price when the club-  
house doors opened, and in the differ-  
ent sporting centers this price was  
maintained until within an hour of the  
beginning of the contest. Then a pecu-  
liar condition of affairs occurred, and  
for no apparent reason Maher's stock  
was lowered, while the Kid's was bulled,  
and when the men got into the ring  
their positions in the betting market  
were reversed, with the Kid the fa-  
vorite.

The Fight by Rounds!  
Round 1—Kid immediately took the  
offensive. Kid feinted with left, Kid then  
sent left hook to jaw, flooring Maher.  
Maher up in two seconds. Kid tried cross,  
missed. Maher tried left swing for  
the head, but the Kid stopped neatly.  
Maher again tried left, but the Kid again  
side stepped. McCoy sent left to body and  
Peter, in an attempt to return the blow,  
slipped and fell, but regained his feet  
quickly. They clinched. Maher forced the  
Kid to the ropes, where he put left to  
Kid's body. Kid broke away nicely, and  
after little sparring put a left to Maher's  
stomach.

Round 2—Both came up laughing.  
Each sparred for opening. McCoy feinted  
with left. Peter made vicious right and  
left swing, neither landing, and at close  
quarters Kid put right and left to body.  
As they broke away Kid put left to jaw;  
then they mixed it up. Maher landed  
right and left on the body. In breakaway  
Maher landed on body. In coming to-  
gether again the Kid massaged his man  
and sent to jaw, putting Maher on the  
ropes and knees. Maher up in four sec-  
onds and rushed madly at McCoy, get-  
ting to body while McCoy jabbed left  
three times to face. Maher forced Kid to  
the ropes and Kid slipped to the floor.  
As soon as he got up, he sent left to  
Maher's face, sending his head back.  
Kid sent two lefts to jaw of Maher, fol-  
lowing with right over, which turned  
Maher's head sideways as gong sounded.

Round 3—McCoy came up more confi-  
dent than ever, while Peter was an anx-  
ious look, but was very determined.  
The Kid feinted with left, being struck.  
Maher forced Kid to the ropes, but Kid  
hooked left to jaw and escaped a return.  
Twice the Kid jabbed left to Maher's  
stomach and Peter became more wary.  
They came to a clinch, each landing light  
rights to ribs. The Kid sent two left  
hooks to jaw, which sent Maher back,  
and then followed with another, which  
knocked the big fellow two yards back.  
McCoy blocked right return. They came  
to a clinch, but in the break away Kid  
sent two straight to stomach and face.  
Maher tried to mix it up, and forced the  
Kid to the ropes, but the Kid fought back  
and got back to the center of the ring,  
where he got in a straight left to the face  
just as the bell sounded.

Round 4—McCoy was quicker on his  
feet. Both sparred carefully, with Maher  
forcing. Kid tried left, landing lightly

on the wind. Maher forced McCoy to a  
neutral corner and landed left on the face,  
jarring McCoy. McCoy stepped to left,  
and Peter struck out with left, but fell  
short. In a mix up Peter got right to  
head, and McCoy was cautioned for hold-  
ing. McCoy hooked left to face, and Peter  
followed with left on body. Maher jabbed  
left straight in the face at close quarters  
without a return. Kid broke ground re-  
peatedly, Peter chasing him. The Kid  
sent left to face, but Peter hooked two  
lefts to head, and then used his left twice  
more to Kid's head. They came to a  
clinch, in which Peter was cautioned for  
holding, but at the same time he sent left  
hook to McCoy's face. This was Maher's  
round.

Round 5—Peter forced the pace. Kid  
tapped with left lightly to the face, shift-  
ing to the left side, which is unusual in  
McCoy's ring tactics. Both landed lefts  
to head. Then Peter sent another left to  
face, the Kid countering. Peter shot left  
to throat and tried to cross with right but  
missed. Maher led, McCoy landed two  
hard lefts on the jaw. McCoy crossed  
right over to the point of the jaw. Peter  
forced to clinch, McCoy dropped the big  
fellow with a left swing on jaw. Maher  
was counted out.

## ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

It Receives a New Year's Gift of \$3-  
370,000.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The University of  
Chicago received a New Year's gift of  
\$3,370,000. President Harper made the  
announcement today at the quarterly  
convocation of university in Studebaker  
hall. The president hoped to announce  
that the university would be \$4,000,000  
richer, but he has not been able to raise  
the \$315,000 which, duplicated by John  
D. Rockefeller, would make up that  
amount. However, Mr. Rockefeller has  
wired that he will extend the time limit  
three months, and in that time Dr.  
Harper thinks he is reasonably sure of  
getting the rest of the money, as he has  
several large donations in prospect.

Four years ago Mr. Rockefeller gave  
the university \$1,000,000 and promised  
to duplicate every amount donated be-  
fore Jan. 1, 1903, up to \$2,000,000. One  
year ago Dr. Harper had secured \$1,-  
335,000 from various sources to apply  
on the \$2,000,000. Since then this  
amount has been raised \$550,000. It is  
understood that much of the money  
has come from business men of this  
city.

## WOLFSON MYSTERY

Chicago Man Denounced as a Fraud  
by Attorney Bamberger.

Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—Attorney  
Oscar Bamberger, who represented the  
heirs in the Wolfson case when they  
sought to recover the \$10,000 life in-  
surance from the New York Life in-  
surance company, is in the city. He will  
not give up his case though his clients  
have waived their claim to the \$10,000.  
He does not believe that the man who  
came from Chicago pretending to be  
the real Wolfson is so.

"He is a fraud," said Mr. Bamberger.  
"He is made up to resemble Wolfson,  
but he is not real. I shall spend \$500  
of my own money if need be to ferret out  
this mystery."

Mrs. Maggie O'Neil, the woman who  
paid the supposed Wolfson funeral ex-  
penses, is not satisfied either. She tried  
to confront the supposed Wolfson while  
he was here, but he would not see her.  
Wolfson is said to have left here.

## PENSION SYSTEM

Of Pennsylvania Railroad Company  
Has Been Inaugurated.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—The system of  
pensioning old employees of the Penn-  
sylvania railroad company on the lines  
east of Pittsburgh was inaugurated yester-  
day. About 950 men, who, by reason  
of long service in the company's  
employ have become incapacitated for  
further active duty, were retired on  
pensions that average nearly half the  
wages they received when at work. It  
is understood that a sum approximating  
\$300,000 is at present available for pen-  
sioning purposes, and that before the  
system can be extended to the lines  
west of Pittsburgh a much larger ap-  
propriation will be necessary. Thus far  
no person holding a position of impor-  
tance has been affected by the pension  
rule. Hereafter no person over 55 years  
of age will be taken into the employ of  
the company.

## GENERAL WILSON

Has Been Ordered to Washington  
From Cuba.

Washington, Jan. 2.—It is probable  
that the present month will be marked  
by a complete reorganization of the  
military commands in Cuba. The im-  
pression prevails that there is to be a  
heavy reduction in these commands,  
and it is intimated that the outcome  
will be the creation of two departments  
instead of six, which originally com-  
prised Cuba, and the four into which  
the island is now divided. General  
Wilson, who commands the combined  
departments of Matanzas and Santa  
Clara, has been ordered to Washington,  
and it is not the present intention that  
he shall return to Cuba.

## Christian Political Union.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The national com-  
mittee of the Christian Political union,  
the new civic organization formulated  
by the conference of Christian men and  
women, which has been in session here,  
has issued an address calling for a  
national assembly of representatives of  
the new party to meet at Rock Island,  
Ill., May 1, 1900. The number of dele-  
gates to be named by each state or terri-  
tory is left to the discretion of the con-  
stituents therein.

## Chicago's Big Canal.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Unless plans fail  
water will be admitted to the big new  
sanitary canal sometime today. Through  
the canal the waters of the great lakes  
will reach the Mississippi river. The  
new waterway may possibly in the fu-  
ture be utilized as a ship canal.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

## CONTRACT LABORERS

Steamship Company Refuses to Obey  
the Law—Agent Arrested.

Galveston, Jan. 2.—The first instance  
of a refusal on the part of a steamship  
company to deport immigrants found  
by the United States immigration bu-  
reau to be contract laborers, occurred  
here yesterday. About two weeks ago  
Immigration Inspector Levy brought 15  
Slavonians here from Mississippi  
charged with having been brought here  
on a North German Lloyd ship in vio-  
lation of immigration laws. Yesterday  
he tendered them to the captain of the  
steamship Roland of that line and they  
were refused. Warrants were issued  
for S. G. Spencer, agent of the com-  
pany, and for the captain. The ship  
sailed without service of the writ on the  
captain, but Mr. Spencer was arrested.  
Mr. Spencer, when seen, was very reti-  
cent, but claimed the men had not been  
tendered to him, and if they were  
tendered to the ship without tickets  
from his office the purser was obliged  
to decline to receive them.

Inspector Levy says the men were  
tendered to the company on Dec. 13 by  
the collector of customs, and the com-  
pany accepted them and assumed re-  
sponsibility for their board.

It is understood that the Immigration  
bureau has information of some 1,500  
alleged contract laborers which it pro-  
poses to deport, and that the steamship  
companies intend to resist the order.

Under act 1879 the penalty for not re-  
turning contract laborers is a fine of not  
less than \$500 in each case, and the  
clearance of vessels may be withheld  
pending payment of the fine.

## Indiana Prohibitionists.

Indianapolis, Jan. 2.—At a meeting  
last night of the Prohibition state com-  
mittee, Felix T. McWhorter resigned  
as treasurer of the committee and M.  
V. King of Franklin, was elected to the  
office.

## MARKETS

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle  
and Provisions on Jan. 1.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

[Legal holiday—No grain or produce  
markets.]  
Cattle—Strong at \$3 25@3.50.  
Hogs—Strong at \$4.50@4.75.  
Sheep—Strong at \$2.00@2.25.  
Lamb—Strong at \$3.50@3.75.

Chicago Livestock.

Cattle—Slow at \$3.00@3.50.  
Hogs—Active at \$4.15@4.50.

## MYSTIFYING A CONDUCTOR.

The Determined Woman Wanted Him to  
Find Her Nephew.

She had a look of determination in  
her face as she stood on the corner of  
Main and Court streets in Auburn and  
signaled for an electric car.  
The car stopped and the woman ad-  
vanced to the steps.  
"Where do you go?" said she.  
"Figure 8," said the conductor.  
"Figure 8."  
"Ate what?" said she. "Who said  
anything about eating? Do you go past  
my nephew James Strout's house?"  
"Dunno," said the conductor. "All  
aboard."  
"You hol' on, young man," said the  
woman. "Don't you get excited. Don't  
you know Jim Strout? He lives on Ru-  
ral avenue, and he's expectin' me today."  
"We go College street," said the con-  
ductor.

In the meantime the motorman was  
stamping on the gong and passengers  
were getting interested.

"All aboard," was the courteous sug-  
gestion of the conductor. "If you are  
going with me, madam, get aboard. We  
don't keep a directory and we don't sell  
stamps, and I am not acquainted with  
James Strout of Rural avenue, but if  
you want to ride around the figure 8,  
all aboard."

"Well, I never!" said the woman.  
"Well, young man, there's one thin  
you kin do. You can hold your horse  
till I get my gripack."  
And they did, and the conductor  
helped her aboard with it, and on Col-  
lege street, near Skinner, she saw  
family in a team, and she gave a yelp  
that shut off the electricity quicker than  
a cat catches a rat.

It was her nephew.  
Such are the tender ministrations  
fate that watch over resolute women. her  
Lewiston Journal.

Condition Confesses His Theory.

Whether the tariff on wool has raised  
the price of wool to the sheep grower above  
what it would have reached without a tariff  
is a question which has been discussed re-  
peatedly. Hon. William J. Bryan.

Oh, no! The average price of Ameri-  
can wool in 1891, under protection, was  
17 cents per pound. In 1895, un-  
der free trade, it was only 9 cents, a dif-  
ference of 8 cents on every pound of Ameri-  
can wool clipped by an American farmer  
from an American sheep.

## Bryan's Gail.

Bryan, the free trader, says that  
protection is "the most vicious poli-  
tician's principle that has ever cursed this



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TUESDAY, JAN. 2, 1900.

TO REPUBLICANS.

Township Meetings will be Held  
Saturday, January 13.

At a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee December 30, Saturday, January 13, was the date fixed for the republicans of Jackson to meet in township conventions to transact the following business:

First—To elect one committeeman for each voting precinct of the county.

Second—To elect delegates and alternates at the district meeting to be held at North Vernon, Tuesday, January 16.

The precinct committeemen elected will constitute the new county central committee and will meet at Brownstown, Monday, January 15, for organization.

The township meetings will be held at the places designated below:

Brownstown township at Brownstown at 1:30 p. m.

Carr township at Medora at 1:30 p. m.

Driftwood at Vallonia at 10 o'clock a. m. to select precinct committeemen and at 1:30 p. m. will meet in joint meeting with Grassyfork township to select a delegate and an alternate to the district convention. (The place of this meeting will be announced when agreed upon.)

Grassyfork township at Tampico at 10 a. m. to select precinct committeemen and at 1:30 p. m. will meet in joint convention with Driftwood to select a delegate and an alternate to the district convention. (The place of this meeting will be announced when agreed upon.)

Hamilton township at Cortland at 1:30 p. m.

Jackson township at Seymour at 1 p. m. to select committeemen, and in joint convention at Seymour with Redding and Washington at 2 p. m. to select delegates to the district convention.

Owen township at Clearspring at 10 a. m. to select committeemen and in joint meeting with Salt Creek township at 1:30 at Kurtz to select a delegate and alternate to district meeting.

Salt Creek township at Houston at 10 a. m. to select precinct committeemen and in joint meeting with Owen township at 1:30 at Kurtz to select a delegate and an alternate to district convention.

Redding township at Rockford at 10 a. m. to select committeemen and with Washington and Jackson at 2 p. m. at Seymour to select delegates and alternates to district convention.

Washington township at Dudleytown at 10 a. m. to select precinct committeemen and in joint meeting with Jackson and Redding at 2 p. m. at Seymour to select delegates and alternates to district convention.

Vernon township at Crothersville at 10:30 p. m.

The eleven delegates have been apportioned as follows:

Brownstown township..... 1  
Carr township..... 1  
Driftwood and Grassy Fork..... 1  
Hamilton..... 1  
Jackson, Redding, Washington..... 3  
Owen and Salt Creek..... 1  
Vernon..... 1

The above apportionment is based on the vote cast for secretary of state 1898, as directed by the state central committee.

D. H. WATERS, Chairman.

A. REMY, Secretary.

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are not found where Stomach,

## THE STATE SCHOOL QUESTION.

President Swain, of the State University, presumes on the ignorance of the people of Indiana, when he says that the non-state college men are attacking the public school system of the state. Everybody knows that the non-state school people are doing nothing of the kind.

The REPUBLICAN is not and never has been of those who would take away all state aid from the state schools. Every patriotic Hoosier should take pride in Indiana's schools for higher learning. What we have contended for is:

First, that all laws granting special privileges to graduates of state schools should be repealed.

Second, that the state board of education should be composed of public school men not connected with any college.

Third, that all students coming to Indiana state schools be charged a stiff tuition just as does Michigan state university. As our laws are at present a young man from Michigan may receive his education at Indiana University on exactly the same terms as a young man from Seymour.

It might be well to require a reasonable tuition fee of every student of the state schools as is done in some states. Such is the plan in nearly all our high schools and it seems to work well. If a farmer's son desires to attend high school at the county seat or in a nearby city, the school board requires the farmer to pay tuition, but if the high school graduate becomes a student of Indiana University no tuition is charged. Would it not be better to make the high school free to all and require the few who desire a university education to pay something for it?

President Swain's recent statement will not be satisfactory to the taxpayers who are demanding some changes in the laws now governing the state schools.

The end of the century controversy will be the cause of somebody going crazy yet.

The Columbus Democrat has hauled Billy Everroad's name down from its congressional mast head and is supposed to be hunting for a new candidate. This action of the Democrat reminds us that in 1896 the Columbus Herald carried at the head of its editorial columns "For president, Claude Matthews," but when Mr. Matthews expressed himself for free silver that name came down. The Herald was then with Bynum and and his crowd. Wonder what Billy Everroad has said.

## DISTRICT CONVENTION.

Call to Meet at North Vernon on  
Tuesday, January 16, 1900.

The Republicans of the Fourth Congressional District of Indiana are invited to meet in Delegate Convention at the city of North Vernon on Tuesday the 16th day of January, 1900, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of selecting a Republican District Chairman.

The representation in said convention will be one delegate and one alternate for every 200 and fraction of 100 or more votes cast for Union B. Hunt for Secretary of State, at the November election, 1898.

The apportionment of delegates to the several counties of said district is as follows:

Bartholomew.....16  
Brown.....3  
Dearborn.....11  
Decatur.....14  
Jackson.....11  
Jefferson.....15  
Jennings.....9  
Ohio.....4  
Ripley.....13  
Switzerland.....8

Total.....104

The County Committee of each county will apportion the delegates to the various precincts, wards or townships and give notice of the time and place of meeting in each precinct.

Notice of such meetings shall be given by publication in the Republican press of the county at least ten days before such meeting, and if there be no paper, then by posting five notices in each precinct. By order of State Central Committee.

THOMAS MCNUTT,  
District Committeeman, Fourth District.

## Notice of Election.

A meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank, for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the bank, January 9th 1900.

J. D. CYRUS, F. MCCABBY, Cashier.

## POSITIONS IN SLEEP.

HOW VICTIMS OF INSOMNIA MAY  
WOO SWEET SLUMBER.

The Way One Should Lie in Bed in Order to Obtain Natural Repose. Various Ailments and the Postures Best Adapted to Them.

Positions that woo sleep in victims of insomnia is an interesting study made by a well known metropolitan physician, Whitman V. White of Brooklyn. Dr. White is a specialist on nervous diseases and in a mild but emphatic manner scores his professional brethren for their free administration of narcotics. He denounces the practice as unnecessarily taxing on the disorganized systems of insomnia patients in many cases. In his own experience he has found a simple method adequate without weakening after effects likely to produce increased symptoms.

"Through a study based on the laws of physiology in human anatomy extending over a period of a dozen or more years I have learned that under certain physical malconditions," said the physician, "the subject may be given relief by assuming positions at rest that will from the case afforded the affected parts serve as a natural somnolent agency. It will be readily understood that a constrained position will tend to prevent natural repose, while a comfortable one will woo it. But what may in most cases seem to be a position of ease may in reality be the reverse.

"For instance, a dyspeptic will rest more easily lying on the right side for the simple reason that in that position the food naturally gravitates out of the stomach and into the intestines, while if lying on the opposite side that organ, in its weakened state, has to perform an uphill process of digestion. This is amply sufficient to produce insomnia.

"Lying flat on the back, with the limbs relaxed, would seem to secure the greatest amount of rest for the muscular system, whether in good health or illness. Such is the position advocated by physicians generally in the most exhausting diseases, and it is hailed as a sign of rapid recovery when a patient exhibits an inclination to turn on either side. But at the same time there are several disadvantages in the supine posture which impair or embarrass sleep, whether in case of severe illness or ordinary health. Thus in weakly states of the heart or blood vessels and certain morbid conditions of the brain the blood seems to gravitate to the back of the head and accordingly produce troublesome dreams. I believe that much of that weakening delirium which the physician has to contend with in treating serious maladies is often occasioned in this way.

"In persons who habitually stoop in their gait or work, either as a result of the requirements of their occupation or from the course of their physical development, there must necessarily be some distress consequent in straightening the spine. It may not be sufficient to cause pain and yet be such a strain as to prevent perfect ease. The result is unconscious restlessness, which is the producer of insomnia.

"People who have contracted chests cannot sleep well lying upon their backs. This rule applies especially to those who have suffered with pleurisy and retain adhesions of the lungs. They will find it easier to get to sleep upon the right side and that their somnolent rest will do them more good if they observe this advice. Furthermore, the habit of lying on the back is the creator of snoring, which much belabors sleep and prevents the subject from receiving the full benefit of its recuperating effects.

"It is desirable, therefore, in all cases to lie on the side, and in the absence of special diseases rendering it more desirable to lie on the weak side, which leaves the strong lung free to expand, the right side should be chosen. A glance at any plate of the visceral anatomy will show that when the body is thus placed the food in the process of digestion is greatly aided in its passage from the stomach into the intestines. Here the principle of gravitation directly applies. Then the fact that the stomach doesn't compress the upper portion of the intestines is still another advantage to be gained from lying on the right side when sleep wooing ease to the entire human mechanism is under serious consideration.

"In conclusion, I wish to refer to some injurious eccentricities, or fads, in sleeping which I have observed. A wealthy woman once came to me for treatment for bad dreams of the order commonly called nightmare. Upon making inquiry I discovered that she was in the habit of lying at rest with her arms thrown up over her head, a position greatly to be deprecated, although it will induce sleep in persons who have weak lungs. The circulation is thereby made stronger in the extremities, and the head and neck and muscles of the chest are drawn up and relaxed by the shoulders." Philadelphia Times.

**Laconic and Caustic.**

Maurice Barrymore's wit is far famed, but a neat little witticism at his expense was Augustus Thomas' laconic criticism of one of Barrymore's plays.

The celebrated playwright had been mercilessly picking flaws in the actor's drama until the good natured Barry winced.

"Oh, come, Gus," he interrupted.

"Don't be quite so hard if it's not an 'Alabama.' Just remember that I wrote it in a week."

"Did you, Barry?" retorted Thomas.

"Then you must have loafed."—Kansas City Independent.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

## SURPRISE.

Holidays are over and things are getting settled to business again.

Harman Darlage's mother from Sauer's has been paying them a visit.

Our gravel road men are closely attending commissioner's court.

Very well Mr. Hummer, it will be our time next.

School has opened with redoubled zeal.

Chris Runge made a trip to Detroit, Mich., to see his daughter, who is very sick.

Miss Katie Darlage has returned from Sauer's where she has been staying.

We find the Pilgrim to be a very interesting paper on all recent or important topics. It will readily pay any one to take the advantage of obtaining it a year free along with the REPUBLICAN.

We are glad to welcome William Campbell in our midst again.

The Literary still holds forth but the Christian Endeavor died in the moment of victory.

The Pleasant Hill Sabbath school continues on the motion to suspend reorganization for a year and Jim White continues to discharge the duties of superintendent.

There is talk of beginning a protracted meeting at the U. B. soon.

William Spray recalled the carpenters and had them wire his new barn together for the winter.

Miss Lillie Bush has gone to stay with Isaac Wiseman and wife of Cortland.

Shooting and raffling matches are the rage.

Jake Brackemyre has gone to Houston to finish up a school.

Relatives from Taylor's Mill are visiting Abraham Freeman and wife.

Charley Rumph has returned from his trip to Arkansas.

The railroad yards here are full of saw logs.

Mrs. Balaam Lett visited her aged mother at Seymour Sunday.

We were accommodated with a copy of the Enterprise and find it an interesting paper.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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## ZELMA.

Tom Sphere made a business trip to Norman Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mikel visited friends at Norman Friday.

Born to Wm. Clappitt and wife, December 28, a son.

A. T. Fountain was in Bedford Wednesday on business.

S. D. Wray and wife, of Norman spent New Year's day with the former's parents here.

Clarence Mitchell, who has been working at Georgia for some time, returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Beavers went to Bedford Friday to stay with her sister for awhile.

E. S. Cummings made a flying trip to the stone city Saturday.

Lina Wray spent the holidays with her sister near Kurtz.

Mrs. E. T. White and Mrs. Jason Fountain visited friends at Limestone last week.

Wm. Sphere, Sol Barrett and Claud Whitted went to Heltonville Saturday on business.

Homer Fish, of Norman, was seen on our streets Saturday.

Viola Sickles was shopping in Bedford Thursday.

George Wray, of Lincoln, Neb., is visiting his parents and other relatives here.

James Clappitt spent the holidays with Amos Flinn and reports a pleasant time.

Amos I. Flinn made a business trip to Norman Monday.

We would like to inform our brother correspondent of Pleasant Grove that there will be multitudes of men with their mind on the same subject with John Pfeffer ere the year 1900 closes.

Mrs. A. C. Flinn was severely burned last Friday. She was standing near a stove when her clothing caught fire and was in flames in an instant. There was another lady in the room and with her aid the flames were soon extinguished. Mrs. Flinn is getting along very well at present.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

## CANA.

Kind readers, we are soon to leave the shores of '99 and sail upon the sea of 1900 to battle with its unknown voyage of time and as we do so we should turn a new leaf in the record of life and make practically the many good things unseen in the past.

Let every one remember that on next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night is regular meeting at this place.

Roy Wray visited in the family of C. P. Louden last Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Tabor is staying in the family of Leithar Harrell. Mrs. Harrell is no better at this writing.

Quite a crowd of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Samuel Mahuron last Wednesday to remind him of his 74th birthday.

Several from this place attended the wood chopping at the Weddle girls' place last Friday.

## LEESVILLE.

Harry Douglass sold three head of mules to Thornt Zollman for \$180. Thursday.

D. B. Beevers and wife, of Pinhook, were the guest of Creed Douglass last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Henderson and Jim Palmer visited relatives at Heltonville Tuesday.

W. F. Turmail, of Vallonia, and Mr. Shields, of Greensburg, were business callers in our town Thursday.

Abe Lawell, wife and son, of Seymour, spent from Tuesday until Friday the guest of Creed Douglass and wife.

George Wray, of Nebraska, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mary A. Arbuckle, of Scott county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cyrus Douglass.

Bertia Kindred, of Bedford, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. George C. Burns, of Louisville, is visiting relatives here this week.

Selba Starr and Mina Ehill, of Sparksville, visited their mother here Friday.

B. W. Thompson, of Cincinnati, was in our town Friday.

Master Johnnie Collura has the measles at the home of W. R. Holland.

Eliza Glazelle went to Sparksville Friday to trade.

Mrs. Eliza Douglass, who has been so very sick, is no better.

D. B. Beevers and wife presented their two daughter, Mrs. Isis Henderson and Mrs. Adie Crawford each with a handsome gold watch for Christmas.

It has been demonstrated repeatedly in every state in the Union and in many foreign countries that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain preventive and cure for croup. It has become the universal remedy for that disease. M. V. Fisher of Liberty, W. Va., only repeats what has been said around the globe when he writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for several years and always with perfect success. We believe that it is not only the best cough remedy, but that it is a sure cure for croup. It has saved the lives of our children a number of times." This remedy is for sale by C. W. Milhous, Druggist.

# MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Thanking all our friends for their liberal patronage during this season we wish them all a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

We will continue as in the past handling the most complete line of goods in this part of the state and hope for your continued patronage.  
Respectfully,  
THE GOLD MINE.

## Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You All.

We will continue as in the past to handle the very best fitting clothing, furnishing goods and hats in the very latest styles. We mark our goods in plain figures and they are sold that way only, for it has been a success.

Yours Respectfully,

## Famous Clothing House,

The Only One Price Clothiers in the City.



Santa Claus Will Arrive in Due Time.

To present the compliments of the season to our patrons on a beautiful laundered shirt front, collar or cuff. We are sure that all will be happy when they see festive Yuletide polish that we will lay on their linen, and at the same time extend our best wishes for their health, so that they can soil enough linen for next year to keep us busy.

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Secure seats at once at Peter's drug store. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS

CHICAGO, Ill., January 1.—Fair and continued cold tonight and Wednesday.

COX.

Homemade candies at Bosticks. j6d  
Apples, oranges, lemons, pickles, kraut at Hancock's.

New sorghum and buckwheat at Hoadley's.  
25 cents pays for one dozen photos at Platters. d16tjl

O. H. Montgomery is at Salem looking after business in the circuit court.

For the finest photos go of Rogers. d21tt

Fresh butter, eggs, poultry at Hoadley's.

When you want good photos go to Rogers.

Fine chocolate cream 20c a pound at Bostick's. j61

You can get the best photos at Rogers, at the most reasonable prices. d21tt

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Call here and get keys by paying for advertisement.

No matter how long you have had the cough, if it hasn't already developed into consumption, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure it.

The stores that were closing at 8 o'clock before the holiday trade began are now closing at the same hour again according to agreement.

Dr. Fred Heller, of Brownstown, has been appointed physician for the poor house and jail at an annual fee of \$7.

A regular W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at Mrs. Lucy Gardiner's, 115 second street at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. All members are requested to be present. Visitors in- vited.

Have you tried the new diamond Bakery. The sight, watch for the sign has just started.

## PERSONALS.

Miss Lillie Hauenschild is better of fever.

Lloyd Carter went to Indianapolis last night.

Jason Crane returned to Purdue University today.

Rev. E. L. Sanders, of Brownstown, came up this morning.

Miss Daisy Alwes returned to Terre Haute today to attend school.

Miss Mayme Ernest has gone to Brownstown to visit friends.

Mrs. S. V. Harding went to Indianapolis today to visit her sister.

Miss Cora Newsom is home from a visit to Elizabethtown relatives.

Mrs. Perry A. Jones went this morning to Cincinnati to visit friends.

Mrs. Ewing Shields, of Bedford, was able to sit up some, Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Beal, of Washington, came up this morning to visit friends.

Miss Sarah Barkman, of Newry, who has been very sick is reported better.

Mrs. James Gasaway came home last evening from a visit to Crothersville.

David Johnson and wife who visited S. D. Meek and family, returned today to Vernon.

Miss Sudie Carman, after a visit to Miss M. E. Williams, returned to Bedford today.

Arthur DeGolyer left this afternoon for Indianapolis, to resume his work in law school.

Samuel Sooy returned today to Madison from a pleasant visit with Seymour friends.

Charles E. Nesbit and wife, are here from Terre Haute to visit her sister, Mrs. I. T. Western.

Miss Gusta Huebner, after a visit to her cousin, Mrs. Rob Binder returned to Loogootee Monday.

M. E. Johnson and wife, of Bedford, after a visit to relatives and friends returned home last night.

Mrs. J. H. Boyer, after a visit to her father, Demj Wilson and family, returned to Louisville today.

Miss Minnie Droge, after a holiday visit to her father, J. H. Froge, returned today to Cincinnati.

D. W. Leonard and wife, after a visit to relatives and friends here, have returned to Hartsville.

Miss Aimee Robertson, of Ewing, returned to Terre Haute today to resume her studies in school.

John A. Elsner, of Baltimore, arrived here Monday to visit his uncle, August Elsner, and other friends.

Mrs. Samuel Robertson, who has visited relatives and friends here returned to near Brownstown today.

Wallace Newby and Clifford Schroer, after a visit to the Carters' returned to Indianapolis last night.

Joseph Beem and wife, of Kirklintown, who spent the holidays with Brownstown relatives, returned home today.

J. B. Pellens and family who spent the holidays with relatives and friends here left for their home at Ft. Wayne today.

M. L. Haggins and wife, after a holiday visit to her sister, Mrs. J. M. Lampert, returned to Cincinnati last evening.

Rev. J. W. Catterson and wife, of Shoals, after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Baxter, returned home today.

Miss Belle Cooley, after a weeks visit to her sister, Mrs. Rob Hall, of Walnut Grove, returned to Brownstown today.

Miss Louise and Anna Stelter, of Louisville, after a visit to Alex Gregor and family at Brownstown, returned home last night.

William Stewart and wife, of Deputy, who have spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Johnson, returned home last night.

W. E. Hoadley and family, Cyrus McCrady and family enjoyed an elegant New Year's dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams.

F. W. Jamison, Mrs. C. Harzennot and Mrs. T. J. Adaly, of Cincinnati, after a holiday visit to their sister, Mrs. Barbara Wagner, returned home last evening.

Dean Bortoff, of Cortland, has taken charge of the Durland school, east of Brownstown, in place of A. J. Waskom, resigned, on account of sickness.

Howard Burkley, who has spent the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burkley, returns this evening to Louisville to resume his studies in the medical college.

## NEW DENIED.

**David O. Harris Must Abide by the Finding of the Jury.**

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

BEDFORD, Ind., Jan. 2.—The court after hearing argument all Monday afternoon for a new trial of the case of the State vs. David O. Harris overruled the same. A motion in arrest of judgment was made this morning which Judge Martin overruled. Sentence was then passed on defendant in accordance with the finding of the jury. Harris may not be taken to prison for a few days yet, probably not until Monday. An appeal will be taken to the supreme court where the counsel have hopes of reversing the case.

## BUSINESS NOTES.

L. M. Frazer went to Olney, Ill., today on business.

Andy Robertson, near Shields, came up this morning on business.

Fred Glasson, of Hartsville, came here last evening on business.

Mose the Boss came home last evening from a business trip to Bedford.

Will Mathews, of Newry, gave the REPUBLICAN a business call Monday.

M. E. Nodiker and wife, of Brown county, came here last evening to shop.

Edward Clifford and his mother, of Indianapolis, came here last evening on business.

William C. Jackson and wife, who have been here on business returned last night to New Albany.

J. M. Lewis, Len Bartlett, and J. H. Hopewell came home last night from attending court at Vernon.

Cudwith Able, of Jonesville, came down last evening and while here gave the REPUBLICAN a business call.

Postum cereal, gordola, granocex flakes at F. Teckemeyer's.

Thomas Hunsucker and wife, after a royal visit to their son S. T. Hunsucker and family, of Muncie, returned to Medora today.

Miss Nellie Howard entertained last evening a number of her young friends at her home; corner of Third and Vine streets. An enjoyable time was had by all. Refreshments were served.

Bud Pomeroy last evening sold his property, corner of Sixth street and Indianapolis avenue, and his barber shop, to Henry F. Bruning, consideration \$2,500. Mr. Bruning purchased the barber shop for his son Fred. Mr. Pomeroy will still have charge of the shop.

## It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Boils, Pain or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by W. F. Peter, druggist.

## Murray & Mack.

There is no mistake about the excellence of "Finnegan's 400." Murray & Mack will be a part of the "400" at the opera house Thursday night and they are the peers of the best of fun makers.

## What do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. I say you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

## There is a Glass of Hope

Who are injured by the use of coffee? Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c.

We give no rewards. An offer of this kind is the nearest of deceptions. Test the curative powers of Ely's Cream Balm for the cure of catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head and you are sure to continue the treatment. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing. It soothes and heals the membrane. Price 50 cents at druggists or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

## RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Irving Cowles, of the S. I. was here today on business.

B. F. Cowley and D. M. Rowe, of the Pan Handle were here today.

Brakeman Roscoe England, of the Pan Handle came home last evening to visit his parents.

Trainmaster N. C. Bennette, of the J. M. & I., came up last evening from New Albany on business.

Conductor James DeFrates and family, after a visit to his brother-in-law, Lon Pruitt, returned to Cincinnati last night.

P. J. Welsh, of the Big Four, came here last night to visit his parents. He will go tomorrow to Logansport to attend the funeral of Will Eckstein.

## A Quick Run.

Sunday the Pennsylvania road made a fly run from Indianapolis to Louisville. An opera company was due for an afternoon matinee and the railroad undertook to get them there in time. From the belt crossing to Louisville the train made a mile a minute. From Seymour to Louisville the run was made in fifty minutes. The train consisted of engine No. 638, baggage car and coach. Conductor J. M. Brown had charge of the train and Engineer Arthur Talkington held the throttle.

## NEW DRIFTWOOD.

Wm. Booth, of Indianapolis, visited his many friends here Sunday and attended church.

John Riddick and Oscar Crabb, of Seymour, attended church here Sunday.

E. H. Vogel and wife visited the former's grandfather Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Reynolds is suffering heart trouble.

George and Cora Riddick was the guests of Wyatt Rucker and wife Sunday evening.

Protracted meeting began here Sunday.

**Story of a Slave.**  
To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizziness. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by W. F. Peter, druggist.

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**CHESTNUT RIDGE.**  
Leonard W. Brown started for Nashville, Tenn., to continue his medical studies.

The P. C. C. & St. L. R. R. Co., is having a new switch stand erected at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have returned home after an extended visit in Kentucky.

William A. Davis is making some fence improvements on his place.

James Horning is hauling elm logs for H. J. Smith, which are manufactured into hoops for the use of Cement Milling Co. at Sellersburg.

The suspicion is that there will be a new stove cutter put in by Henry J. Smith, of this place, then the mill will run in full blast. Luck to Henry.

Ruby Davis, the little daughter of W. A. Davis, is on the sick list.

Herrod Smith and wife have returned home after a weeks' visit with the latter's mother, at Georgia.

New Year and Christmas were appropriately celebrated at this place by the young folks.

Miss Jennie Weathers returned home Saturday, after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Mella Riddick.

We would be very much obliged and think it very accommodating if some of the farmers would put up a little pen of ice for us, for those hot days next summer.

**Having a Great Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.**

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of a gripe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing, and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by C. W. Milhous, Druggist.

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

## THE WABASH BOYS

**Delightfully Entertained a Large Audience Last Night.**

A more pleasing entertainment has not been heard in Seymour for a long time than that given by the Wabash College Glee Club last night. That the audience appreciated every number on the program was evinced by the generous applause and numerous encores. Everything attempted was well done. The singing of the club as a whole shows fine musical talent and excellent training and the the mandolin club did splendid work. The solos by Mr. McClamroch and Mr. Dorsey were well rendered and the "coon songs" by Mr. Bartholomew brought down the house. The superiority of the entertainment last night will insure the Wabash boys a good hearing any time they may return to Seymour. They will be at Washington tonight.

## Week of Prayer.

The Presbyterian, Methodist and Christian churches will hold union services during next week,—the week of prayer. At 10:30 a. m. each day the services will be held at the Methodist church and regular topics for the week of prayer will be followed. The evening services will be at 7:30 as follows: Monday evening at the Christian church, Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening the regular prayer meetings in all the churches, Thursday evening at Baptist church, Friday evening at Methodist church. At each of the evening services there will be a sermon by one of the local pastors.

## Officers Installed.

The following officers of Jackson Lodge No. 146, F. A. M. were installed last night.

Cyrus E. McGrady, W. M.  
Mose Bauer, S. W.  
John Wilhelm, J. W.  
William Humes, J. D.  
Elias D. Brown, Treasurer.  
E. W. Blish, Secretary.

Following the installation a splendid banquet was served. Rev. J. M. Baxter delivered an excellent address on the worth of the order.

## Telephone in Redding.

The county commissioners have granted James Marsh the privilege of putting up a telephone line along the free pikes of Redding township. Mr. Marsh expects to put in a rural system to connect with Seymour, Columbus and all connecting points. This is an improvement that will be appreciated especially by citizens of Redding township.

## DIED.

**MITCHELL.**—Harrison Mitchell, one of our best known colored citizens, died Monday afternoon January 1, of infirmity, aged 83 years. Deceased resided for many years at Brownstown but came to Seymour over 40 years ago. Funeral Wednesday forenoon. Burial at the Friends' cemetery at Farmington.

## Case Continued.

The trial of Jesse Enoch charged with robbing a man on a B. & O. S. W. train several weeks ago was called at Vernon yesterday, but owing to the absence of the prosecuting witness was continued until Saturday. John M. Lewis, of this city is defending him.

## Investigating B. & O. S. W. Work.

D. H. McAbee, State Factory Inspector, has received an opinion from the Attorney-General, authorizing him to investigate the alleged violations of the law by sub-contractors on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railway in Jennings county, and he has sent a deputy to the county.

Lima and red kidney beans at Hoadley's.

I want to let the people who suffer from rheumatism and sciatica know that Chamberlain's Pain Balm relieved me after a number of other remedies and a doctor had failed. It is the best liniment I have ever known of.—J. A. Dodgen, Alpharetta, Ga. Thousands have been cured of rheumatism by this remedy. One application relieves the pain. For sale by C. W. Milhous, Druggist.

W. H. Cash, of Cherryville, Kan., after a six months visit to his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Robertson, of Ewing, left today for home by way of the Pan Handle, accompanied by his wife.

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Solid Gold Watches	\$18.00
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Best Silver Plated Knives and Forks until Jan. 1, 1900, per dozen	3.50
Elegant Silver Plated 4 Piece Tea Set	4.50
Beautiful Silver Plated Butterdish	1.50
Nice Silver Plated Syrup Cup	1.00
Children's Solid Gold Rings	50c, 75c and 1.00
Plain Solid Gold Rings	50c, 75c and 1.00

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